

CAT'S INAUGURAL FLIGHTS

CAT inaugural flight from Taipei to Bangkok took place by the newly "plushed" DC-3, No. 801.

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CAT's inaugural flight to Seoul, Korea was scheduled for 28 June, 1950. On 25 June, the North Korean Communists crossed the 28th parallel and Kimpo, Seoul's main airport, fell to the invaders on the night of 29 June, thwarting CAT's inaugural plans.

CAT's Routes:

CAT's routes in February, 1952: Bangkok, Hong Kong, Taipei, Tokyo.

CAT's routes in April, 1952: Bangkok, Hong Kong, Taipei, Iwakuni, Tokyo, Pusan.

CAT's routes in June, 1952: Bangkok, Hong Kong, Taipei, Okinawa, Iwakuni, Tokyo, Pusan.

CAT's routes extended to Manila in August, 1952.

CAT UPGRADES EQUIPMENT

CAT inaugurated DC-4 service in September, 1962. Aircraft No. B-1002. Plane's inaugural flight was from Taipei to Hong Kong on September 19, 1952. Pilots were: Chief Pilot Bob Rousselot, & Captains Roy Watts and Dave Davenport.